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TAGS: BEXP, IS
SUBJECT: UNDER SECRETARIAL TASK FORCE ON U.S. FOOTWEAR
INDUSTRY - MARKET RESEARCH REQUEST.

REF: STATE 065524

A. POST COULD COMPLETE THE STUDY BY JUNE 5, 1978.
THIRTY DAY EXTENSION REQUIRED AS TWO OF OUR SENIOR LOCAL
STAFF ARE ON OFFICIAL TRAVEL IN U.S. AND WILL NOT RETURN
UNTIL MIDDLE OF APRIL. ALSO THE POST IS PLANNING SEVERAL
TECHNICAL SEMINARS AND MINI TRADE SHOWS DURING THIS PERIOD.

B. POST DOES NOT BELIEVE IT IS NECESSARY TO CONTRACT OUT ANY
PORTION OF THE STUDY.

C. NO CHANGES IN CCP REQUIRED BECAUSE OF THE 30 DAY EXTENSION.

2. POST SUGGESTS THAT THE RESULTS WILL NOT BE WORTH
THE EFFORT. STATISTICS FOR FOOTWEAR PRODUCT GROUPS ARE NOT
AVAILABLE IN THE DETAIL REQUESTED BY PARAGRAPH FIVE REFTEL.
THE ISRAELI FOOTWEAR MARKET IS ESSENTIALLY SELF-SUFFICIENT,
EXPORTS ALMOST EQUAL IMPORTS ON AN ANNUAL BASIS WITH ITALY
SUPPLYING THE MAJOR SHARE OF TOAL FOOTWEAR IMPORTS OF
APPROXIMATELY \$5 MILLION PER YEAR.

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3. POST WILL MAKE ALL NECESSARY EFFORT BUT SUGGESTS THAT ISRAEL
BE DROPPED FROM THE RESEARCH REQUEST.
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